

REMARKS

In the Office Action dated November 20, 2003 the Examiner indicated that the amendment document filed on November 3, 2003 was considered non-compliant because claims 1-22 were not listed. Claims 1-22 are now listed in the Claim Amendments section as being canceled. Applicants respectfully request consideration of the amendment document filed on November 3, 2003 and the corrected Claim Amendments section included in this response.

CONCLUSION

In light of the above amendments and remarks, Applicants submit that the present application is in condition for allowance and respectfully request notice to this effect. The Examiner is requested to contact Applicants' representative below if any questions arise or she may be of assistance to the Examiner.

Respectfully submitted,

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